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Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Kazunari TAIRA <i>et al.</i>)	Group Art Unit: 1635
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Application No.: 10/820,820)	Examiner: A. H. Bowman
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Filed: April 9, 2004)	
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For: EXPRESSION SYSTEMS FOR)	Confirmation No.: 9492
TRANSCRIPTION OF)	
FUNCTIONAL NUCLEIC ACIDS)	

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 2, 2005, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. This reply is due by June 2, 2005, and is timely filed. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.